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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time in the above identified patent application in order to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of NonProvisional Application mailed March 15, 2001. This extension is for one (1) month and will extend the due date from May 15, 2001 to June 15, 2001. A response is enclosed herewith.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179 for the extension fee of \$110.00\*\*\*. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-2179. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

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